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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Re: Application of Kenji KOJIMA  
MAINTENANCE SERVICE SYSTEM, METHOD AND PROGRAM  
Assignee: NEC FIELDING, LTD.  
Our Ref. Q78398

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 95 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 25 sheets of formal drawings, a copy of an executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. Also enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement and PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) with references.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>31</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>11</u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u>\$198.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>3</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=		x	\$86.00	=	<u>\$0.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$770.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim Fee									<u>\$290.00</u>
<b>TOTAL FILING FEE</b>									<b>\$1258.00</b>
Recordation of Assignment									\$40.00
<b>TOTAL FEE</b>									<b><u>\$1298.00</u></b>

Checks for the statutory filing fee of \$1258.00 and Assignment recordation fee of \$40.00 are attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

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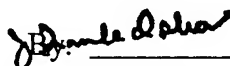
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The priority document is enclosed herewith.

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